

man. Then again, huge rocks are thrown and tossed together, as if at some time the whole hill had been shaken. In the early sheen of the morning sun, or in his last slanting western rays, the variously tinted rocks and the hills and valleys bathed in ever changing light and shade, make a beautiful picture.

Many of the walls are surmounted by bastions, in whose apertures cannon and muskets once rested. If the roar of battle ever awoke the echoes among these awful precipices, terrible indeed must have been the work done. Right above us are old magazines, and in our walks we often find halves of rock cannon balls. Large wells for oil and water and immense stone granaries show that the people intended to stand a siege if necessary. Here, close to our right, are the ruins of the palace of the king. We walk among them, and wonder if these little apartments belonged to the women, who never enjoyed the freedom of the grand old hill as we do. In front of this is a mosque where many prayers have been offered in which the Eternal One had no pleasure. Fronting this again are some Mohammedan tombs, as usual without inscription; those who lie below, probably, once shared in the temple service. When these rocks are rent and the graves opened, they will come forth to meet Him to whom they are best known. In an opposite direction, down the steps, is another tomb, still kept neatly white-washed, and around which prayers are said. Away upon the hill, six hundred feet above us, and under ground, is a dungeon. It is about ten feet high, a few feet in length and breadth, walled up with stone, and entered by a small opening which is level with the ground. When the Mohammedans held sway this place may have been kept in repair by the money of wealthy Hindus, who would suddenly find themselves seized, blindfolded and carried they knew not whither. They would be unloosed only to find themselves in this dreadful place, with no hope of escape till a promise for the amount demanded was given. Then they were blindfolded again and taken away as they came. The seals of those years will be broken some day, and these dark pages unfolded; but you and I are glad that the present inhabitants of the hill live, at least, in peace and quietness.

Our visit is drawing to a close, and we hope to return benefitted to our work. Follow us and I will with your prayers, that each page of India's history may grow brighter and brighter, till it gleams in the full light of the Sun of Righteousness.

Yours sincerely,  
 H. H. HARRISON,  
 India, Aug. 5, 1882.

A PROPOSAL.

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Ex-Father Hyacinthe on a recent Sabbath tried to show to his hearers that Protestants had given up the Bible as the bulwark of their faith and guide as to their procedure. In approval of such a course he summed up, by way of peroration, with these words:—  
 "How could we baptize our children if we had not tradition to enlighten us on this point, for the Scriptures say nothing about it?" Quite right; of course it does not; but does priestly precedent rank higher as a guide than "thus saith the Lord?"

The following is an extract from a letter just received from the superintendent of Miss M. L. Whately's Mission School at Cairo, dated Sept. 21:—"I must tell you one of Arabi's follies, a Moudier, just to laugh at him, sent him an egg on which was written in Arabic the word 'Victory,' and told him that he found it in a village; that the writing on it was natural, and he sent the hen with it. He took it as a message from God, and thought he was sure to destroy the English. When he was defeated, however, at Mahouda, he thought he had better swallow the egg, in case he was captured, to preserve his life. So he did; the hen is still kept by one of his officers. He depended much on his egg and on the dreams of the Sheikhs.

Review of Books.

THE BAPTIST QUARTERLY REVIEW: October, November, and December, 1882. Editor Dr. Baumes, Cincinnati: This No. of our Quarterly contains a capital combination of things rich and rare:

Article 1—"Thomas Aquinas, by the late Rev. Richard M. Nott." Aquinas was a famous theological writer of the 13th Century.

2. "Comments on Matt. xvi. 16-18." A critical examination of our Lord's words "Thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church."

3. "The Free State of Tephric in Asia Minor: the home of the Paulicians"—the Baptists of that day.

4. "Historical proofs of the soul's immortality." The beliefs of the ancient nations on this subject are brought together here, which with the declarations of Scripture form a solid foundation for the belief in the attribute of continuance, given to man by his Creator.

5. "Our debt to the Huguenots or what we owe to French Protestantism." The struggles and sufferings of these brave devoted people are here briefly and graphically told, and ought to awaken much gratitude in the hearts of those who now enjoy religious liberty to such an unlimited extent as we do in this Canada of ours. The descendants of the Huguenots in Nova Scotia would form a noble band. Garfield the late President of the United States was of Huguenot extraction. We might mention the names of several families; but if we should do so and leave out others it might be thought some want of respect for them.

6. "As to a Millennium." Gives the different theories on this subject that have obtained currency. Dr. Sawtelle expresses the opinion that the Millennium will be the result of a widening of the work of missions after a falling away, but that Christ will come in person, the Jews will be converted; and that there will then be a resurrection of the just and of the unjust, and that the former will inhabit the renewed earth.

7. "The Sin unto Death and Prayer," Dr. Dobbs in this article does not remove all the darkness from this subject. He combines in the following two sentences about as much as in the several pages devoted to it. "It was no sin of ignorance. It was the deliberate and malicious rejection of the known truth."

8. "The rise of the use of pouring baptism." No summary sentence or two would be just to the author of this article. It must be read to be fully appreciated. We shall give some further attention to it in a future issue.

Jews of the World.

Earl Dufferin arrived at Alexandria on Tuesday and was received by the British Consul and Egyptian authorities. He has made an excellent impression on the Egyptian Ministers. He told them that he had not come there to take the direction of affairs out of the hands of Sir Edward Malet, but to work with the latter in terms of perfect equality. Sir Edward on Friday, discussed with Sir Auckland Calvin the subject of division of the work in connection with Lord Dufferin's mission. The business of the mission commences immediately, Earl Dufferin received instructions from the British cabinet.

England has informed the Porte that she does not consider the present a convenient moment for entering into negotiations relative to the Egyptian question, and that she cannot approve of the idea of sending a Turkish Commissioner to Egypt during the continuance of Lord Dufferin's mission in that country.

Serious complaints come from Mansourah in Egypt, of the ravages of worms in cotton crop.

Abdel Kader telegraphs from Khartoum on the fifth instant: "I have defeated the rebels at three different points. They were somewhat demoralized by a report that English troops were coming. Khartoum for a moment is relieved."

In the House of Commons on Friday, the debate on the closure question was resumed. Lord Northcote's motion, made on the speakers putting the first resolution, that it be rejected was defeated by 304 to 260. The Parliaments voted for and other Irish members against the motion.

During the debate 5 officers of Indian Regiments engaged in the recent Egyptian Campaign appeared in the gallery of the house. They were greeted with cheers from the body of the House. The officers returned a salute. The scene is without precedent in the House.

The Prince of Wales has consented to act as chairman of the Longfellow memorial committee.

An explosion occurred on Tuesday,

in Claycross Colliery. The report was terrific. It is believed thirty persons were killed.

The London *Tel. graph*, says Englishmen can hardly be expected to contemplate with equanimity the seeming probability that the next President of the United States will be a Democrat.

Two engagements have occurred between Boers and Caffre Mapochs. They state that the Mapochs sent a decoy party, who retreated after a skirmish with the Boers, drawing the latter on through a neck, where the Caffres fell upon and defeated them with a loss of 300. Subsequently the Boers were again defeated in the open country.

Dwight L. Moody, the Evangelist, is ill in London.

At a meeting of the Corporation of Dublin, on Friday last, a heated discussion occurred on a motion to thank the Irish regiments who served in Egypt for their gallantry, and to confer the freedom of the city on General Sir Garnet Wolsley.

An amendment by Mr. Sullivan declaring that Ireland had no interest in the war, the only result of which was to increase taxation and carry ruin to Irish homes, was ultimately carried by a vote of 27 to 21.

Cornelius Shea, convicted of being a moonlighter, and of making threats against tenants who paid their rents, near Killarney, has been sentenced to seven years penal servitude.

Timothy Cronan, one of the Land League Secretaries, has been arrested under the Crimes' Act for having arms in his possession.

The Syndicate of stock-brokers in Paris has received a letter threatening that the Bourse will be blown up.

A serious riot occurred in Neuban, a suburb of Vienna, on Tuesday last. A large number of workmen, joined by a mob, stoned the police and attacked and destroyed the Police Station, wounding the commissary in charge. Troops were sent to the scene and restored order. Twelve workmen and several police were injured. Many of the rioters have been arrested.

The United States people have been busy during the past week attending to the election of representatives to Congress, and of Governors of States. On Tuesday last there were thirty-three different States so engaged. Fifteen of them elected Governors. In all of these States there were 293 members of Congress elected.

General Butler was elected Governor of Massachusetts. His majority, it is believed, will be about 20,000.

The Democratic ticket in New York city is said to have beaten the Republican by 70,000.

It is said that there will be a large majority of the Democratic party returned.

The drivers and runners at Red Ash colliery struck on Tuesday last against nine hours' pay for a full day's labor.

On Monday of last week a fire burned out a number of firms on Commercial Street, Portland, Me., and along the wharves. The total loss will probably reach \$400,000. The Portland Fish Packing Company is a heavy loser.

The bequests of the late Jerome Kidder to benevolent and educational institutions amount to nearly \$200,000.

The New York fashionable world have gone crazy over the appearance of Mrs. Langtry in Wallack's Theatre.

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J. H. SAUNDERS, Sec'y.  
 Digby, Nov. 5, 1882.

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